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Amendments to the Drawings:

The attached sheet of drawing includes changes to Figure 1. This sheet replaces the previously submitted sheet including Figure 1. The drawings have been amended to show the suction heads set forth in Claim 14, and the drive control device of Claim 1.

Attachment: Replacement Sheets
Annotated Sheets Showing Changes

REMARKS***Claim Status***

Currently, Claims 9-12 and 14-16 are pending. Claims 1-8 and 13 have been cancelled.

Drawings

The Examiner objects to the drawings under 37 C.F.R. §1.83(a) for failing to show every feature of the invention specified in the claims. Fig. 1 has been amended to show the suction heads set forth in Claim 14, and the drive control head of Claim 1. The present amendment to Fig. 1 combines the amendment made in the response filed on 7/21/2005, which the Examiner approved, and the amendment made in the response filed on 12/22/2005. Applicants repeat the remarks made in these two responses herewith, and believe that no further comments are necessary.

By these amendments, the drawings are believed to comply with 37 C.F.R. §1.83(a). No new matter has been added. Applicants respectfully request the Examiner to withdraw the objections to the drawings.

Claim Objections

The Examiner objects to Claims 9 and 16. By way of the above amendment, Claims 9 and 16 have been amended as suggested by the Examiner. Applicants respectfully request withdrawal of the objection, and believe that Claims 9 – 12 and 14 – 16 are now allowable.

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CONCLUSION

The present response is intended to correspond with the Revised Amendment Format. Should any part of the present response not be in full compliance with the requirements of the Revised Amendment Format, the Examiner is asked to contact the undersigned for immediate correction.


For the above reasons, Applicants respectfully submit that the application is in condition for allowance, and such allowance is herewith respectfully requested.

Nevertheless, if any undeveloped issues remain or if any issues require clarification, the Examiner is respectfully requested to call Applicants' attorney in order to resolve such issues promptly.

Please charge any additional fees, including any fees for additional extension of time, or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No.: 502464 referencing client reference: 2001P14162WOUS. However, the Commissioner is not authorized to charge the cost of the issue fee to the Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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